

# R. Edgar COLUMN



## Frank Moran Wants Match With Carl Morris at Garden Put Back Two Weeks.

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FRANK MORAN has an abscess on his jaw, which has caused him to request a postponement of his match with Carl Morris. The bout was scheduled for March 12, at Madison Square Garden. Moran wants it put back until March 26. This is the date Promoter Browne has set aside for Fulton and Willard, providing, of course, Big Joas sees his way clear to sign up, so nothing definite has been agreed on in the way of a new Moran-Morris date.

When Fireman "Jim Flynn" heard of Moran's ailment he remarked that a little thing like an abscess was nothing to worry about.

"If I had it," said the veteran, "I'd jump into the ring, get hit on it and save dentists' bills." Incidentally, Flynn offered to substitute for Moran if Promoter Browne desired it.

MORRIS, by the way, will be seen in a local ring to-night up in Harlem for the first time in nearly two years. His opponent will be Joe Bonds, who came East under the management of Jack Kearns, claiming he had beaten Morris out West. A perusal of the record book, however, showed that Morris had won the referee's decision. Since coming here Bonds severed relations with Kearns, and is now under contract to John Heiler, at whose club he boxes to-night. Talking about changing managers leads us to correct the impression that Nate Lewis paid Billy Newman \$5,000 to release Morris from the five-year contract he had with the Oklahoma Giant. Lewis paid just half that.

TOM O'ROURKE has a new heavyweight in tow. He hails from Joplin, Mo. The veteran manager says he won't "take the blanket off" his man just yet, so fight fans must wait for some definite information regarding the newcomer. All Tom has to say about him is that "he's a likely looking fellow and wears homespun socks."

SOMETHING may shortly develop regarding a match between Fulton and Willard. Tom Jones, one of Big Jess's managers, is coming from Chicago Monday next ostensibly to see the fight at the Garden. As Jack Curley says, he doesn't think Jones would make the trip just for this purpose. His visit must be regarded as having to do with a Willard-Fulton clash. Curley, who got back from the West a couple of days ago, says he saw Willard in Chicago, and that the champion was in a fine mood. "If Jones would leave him alone for a couple of days," remarked Curley, "Willard might come around to the point of agreeing to take Fulton on." He can't come to the point too soon to suit Fulton.

OWEN ZEIGLER, one of the best of the old time lightweights, is in town and up again. It is just out of a hospital in Albany, where the doctors wanted to "cut him open" and dig for an abscess or a tumor. Owen wouldn't stand for this at the present time, or, as he says himself, until he can see his wife and children fixed up properly. Zeigler

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## Two Hitting Stars and Pitching "Phenom"

## Attracting Donovan's Attention Down South

ED MONROE—PITCHER DRAFTED FROM MEMPHIS—RIGHT HANDED



WILLIAM KNAUPP—INFILDER DRAFTED FROM SHREVEPORT—BATTING AVERAGE .521 FIELDING AVERAGE .958



BEN SHAW—CATCHER DRAFTED FROM MACON BATTING AVERAGE .361 FIELDING .983

RAY CALDWELL, whose failure to report caused a lot of mystery, is said to be on his way to the training camp from Panama. From reports, the former telegraph operator left there on Sunday afternoon and, if such be so, should reach here late tomorrow night. Neither Donovan, Capt. Huston nor Harry Sparrow has heard from the eccentric pitcher.

Of course Caldwell will be greeted with wide open arms by both Donovan and Capt. Huston, but will not be allowed to have things his own way. Ray will have to pitch in each day with the other players or take the consequences.

"We have treated Caldwell well," stated Capt. Huston after being informed that Ray was coming, "and we expect him to keep in condition and give his best services to the team. Ray is one of the greatest pitchers in the country when right, but no matter how great he is, he must obey the rules of the club or suffer the consequences."

Donovan has not decided upon his line-up for the opening day at the Polo Grounds, but the team that takes the field, according to Bill, will be as strong if not stronger than any other team in the league.

"I am still puzzled over second base, but this will not be a weak spot, as I have Gedeon, Malsb and Knaupp, the recruit from Shreveport, to pick from," he said. "Hoti Gedeon and Malsb should have a good season, and from the reports that I hear, Knaupp is a capable man."

Capt. Huston is still waiting to hear from Major Dorey. The owner of the Yankees wired Capt. Wood's aide asking for permission to recruit Gibson, the recruiting officer here, to drill the members of the New York team. If a favorable reply is received, the drilling will start immediately.

Urban Shocker, the spit ball pitcher, is complaining of a sore leg. The youngster, who has been in the other day while going after a fly ball.

If Nick Cullip carried a little more weight, he would be a contender for the title. The once famous southpaw of the Robins.

DOWN in Macon, Manager Donovan never robs his famous smile as he watches the Yankee recruits in action. While the squad has been at the Southern training camp less than a week, Donovan has already branded Edward Monroe, Ben Shaw and Bill Knaupp as three prizes. Manager Donovan follows the daily practice of Edward Monroe with a little more interest than he displays in the other coils. Monroe is a pitcher, twenty-one years old and weighs nearly 200 pounds. The youngster has cut loose with such a variety of curves that Donovan is sure he

won't slip back to the morning glory class of recruits. Monroe played last year with the Memphis club. He scored an average of .847 for eighteen games. Bill Knaupp is an infielder, and a good one. He is twenty-two years old and very fast. Knaupp played with Shreveport last season and ran up a batting average of .323 for 124 games. Ben Shaw, if he continues his Macon performance, has an excellent chance of becoming a regular catcher. He played with Macon last year and finished with a batting figure of .308, and his receiving work was unusual for a "busher."

Carl Morris, the big Salspita Giant, will fight his first battle under the management of Nels Lewis, the Chicago promoter, at the Harlem Sporting Club tonight, where he boxes Joe Bonds of Tacoma. Lewis recently purchased Morris's contract from Billy Newman.

Barney Leverage, who has just finished his third round bout with Billy Nels, the one-legged fighter, will meet Johnny Brown, who is a contender for the title, at the same place, on Tuesday night. The fight will be a main event.

Continuing, we hear from Mr. Ebbets, who is in charge of the Brooklyn team, that Casey Stengel is a big asset to the team. Stengel is a former player and a good manager. He is now in charge of the Brooklyn team.

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# PUTTING 'EM OVER With "Bugs" Baer

## COLUMBIA EIGHT TO RACE HARVARD ON CHARLES MAY 19

Arrangements Completed for Contest Over a Mile and Seven-Eighths Course.

Arrangements have been completed for a race on the Charles River, Cambridge, Mass., May 19, between the Harvard and Columbia eights. The distance will be a mile and seven-eighths.

The race will be the third between the two universities since James C. Rice was appointed coach of the Columbia eights in the fall of 1906. In 1907 Columbia defeated the Crimson in a two-mile race on the Charles, and two years later was itself decisively beaten by the Harvard varsity eight in a race of the same distance. On the Harvard schedule the race will fill the gap caused by the severing of rowing relations with Cornell, while it will add a much-needed contest to the Columbia programme.

Announcement was also made of the decision of the Columbia authorities to hold an intercollegiate regatta some time during May. This regatta will be for high schools and preparatory schools in and near New York and will be rowed over the Columbia course on the Hudson, above Edgewater. The date for this race has not yet been definitely settled upon. The exact date of the Child's Cup regatta and the course over which it will be rowed, will be announced in due time.

The class of 1907 is a perennial gift to the university is giving a notable launch for the crew to the athletic association.

On Dillon's showing in the McCay fight, Les Darcy should go around Jack like a cooper around a barrel.

Connie Mack is busy looking for new players. There always seems to be room for a couple more patches on a crazy quilt.

Baseball Briefs

BOSTON, March 2.—Walter Maraville, crack shortstop of the Boston Nationals, who has been at odds with the club management over his salary for next season, notified President Huntington from his home in Springfield to-day that he had accepted the club's terms. It is understood that he will be paid about \$7,500, which is said to be more than is received by any other shortstop in the game.

BOSTON, March 2.—The Boston American League Baseball Club announced to-day that Larry Gardner, third baseman, who had been holding out for an increase in pay, has signed a contract at the salary originally offered. The signed contract of Arthur Rice, a catcher, was received by the Boston Nationals.

CHICAGO, March 2.—"Chick" Gandil, first baseman with the Cleveland Indians, who has been at odds with the club management over his salary for next season, notified President Huntington from his home in Springfield to-day that he had accepted the club's terms. It is understood that he will be paid about \$7,500, which is said to be more than is received by any other shortstop in the game.

Lawrence, Mass., March 2.—Referee Morton called the bout between Jack Britton of New York, welterweight champion of the world, and Tommy Robson of Malden a draw at the Uxley Club last night. Both sides undoubtedly agreed that a draw decision should be given, because no protest was made.

Joe Choynski forced to see all his boxers except one whipped here.

New York boxers made a clean sweep of the inter-city amateur tourney at the New York A. C. last night, in which boys from Pittsburgh and Philadelphia competed.

The one Pittsburgh boxer, who did heavyweight of the old Horton law days, who now is instructor of the Pittsburgh A. A., was forced to see all except one of his Smoky City boxers whipped in the semi-finals.

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## Cy Pieh, Ex-Yank, Is Now Propounding Unique Theory on Baseball Pitching

Lanky Twirler Declares Only Way for a Big Leaguer "to Git Goin' Right" Is to Slip Back to the Bush for One Year and Learn How to Unbend Some of His Curves.

By Bozeman Bulger.

CY PIEH, that illustrious pitcher who zipped the baseball in and about the Polo Grounds for a brief spell with the Yanks, makes an interesting announcement that the only way for a big leaguer "to git goin' right" is to slip back to the bush for one year and learn how to unbend some of his curves.

And, suiting action to words, Mr. Pieh has packed his grip, and his departure for Mobile awaits the shaking out of a rheumatic kink.

Golf Notes

Golfers of the North Jersey Country Club, at a meeting here to-day, made tentative arrangements for the annual club tournament and a schedule for the contests closed to North Jersey members is to be drawn up shortly.

Following a meeting of club members to-day, the North Jersey links members decided it advisable to arrange for the annual tournament in which North Jersey, Arcola, Hackensack and Ridgewood will be involved.

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## Fistic News

By John Pollock and Gossip

An effort is being made to match August Hunter and Tom (Gibson) the St. Paul fighter, for two bouts at the Harlem A. C. for the middle of this month. The match is not likely to be arranged, as Jimmy Johnston demands that Hunter make a guarantee of \$1,500 for the first bout, and \$2,000 for the second.

Jimmy Duffy, the west side lightweight contender, who boxed Johnny Dundee at the Pioneer Club last night, is expected to meet a contender in a tag engagement with Billy Burke, who is a contender for the title, at the same place, on Tuesday night. The fight will be a main event.

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